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A Japanese Office Action for corresponding Japanese Patent Application No. JP 2004-518639 cites Japanese Utility Model Publication Nos. JP 63-141136 and JP 01-73162 and Japanese Patent Application Publication Nos. JP 11-049200; JP 55-089069; and

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62-231721, which are all listed on Form PTO/SB/08a. A copy of the Japanese Office Action

is attached hereto, accompanied by a partial English-language translation. These references

are relevant for the reasons stated in the Japanese Office Action. The attached copies of JP

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